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Class	Sub.	Date	Exmr.
707	10 201 202 203 200 104.1	12/12/02	TM
707	100.	5/20/03	TM.
715	501.1	5/20/03	TM.
Search updated as above			5/30/03 TM.
707	1 3 5 7	10/29/03	TM
Search updated as above			10/29/03 TM
Search updated as above			4/20/04 TM.

INTERFERENCE SEARCHED

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SEARCH NOTES (INCLUDING SEARCH STRATEGY)

Searched East (USPTO, JPO, EPO) Strategy enclosed	Date	Exmr.
Consulted PE Charles Rones (AU 2175) regarding amendments and Non-final rejection	12/12/02	TM
Consulted PE Charles Rones regarding amended claim 6-8 and Final Rej.	10/27/03	TM
Consulted PE Charles Rones regarding amended claim 6-8 and Final Rej.	2/19/04	TM
Contacted the attorney at least to get approval for a possible amendment. Attorney prefers to see attorney action "final" by the amended claim	4/18/04	TM
updated search Strategy enclosed	4/20/04	TM

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